

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Katsuyoshi Kado

Application No.: 10/598,214

Filed: August 21, 2006

Confirmation No.: 1239

Customer No.: 24,239

For: MEDICINE SPRAYING DEVICE

Mail Stop: Missing Parts
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

1. This replies to the Notice to Missing Requirements Filed Under 35 CFR 371 mailed on April 22, 2008.

TRANSLATION OF APPLICATION INTO ENGLISH

2. This responds to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated April 22, 2008. The notice states that the English translation was not submitted at the time of filing of this application. However, according to the EFS Acknowledgment (APPENDIX A), the English translation (APPENDIX B) was in fact submitted as the first document listed pages 1-28.

Our office has communicated on various occasions with Deborah D. Williams via telephone at (703) 308-9140 Ext. 205. Ms. Williams entered a DO/EO Worksheet (APPENDIX C) into the record; however, we have not received a Notice of Acceptance or any further communication concerning the outstanding Notice to File Missing Requirements. Therefore, we file this response to avoid erroneous abandonment.

3. Attached and re-submitted herewith is a copy of the English Translation as initially filed on August 21, 2006.

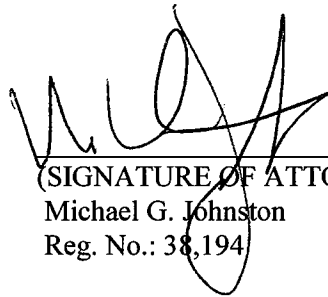
AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

4. Payment of Fees

No fees are believed to be due at this time.

However, filed with this paper is a Petition for a five-month extension of time if indeed any extension fees are due. Further, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4365.

October 24, 2008
(DATE)



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